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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MANAGING A NETWORK TO SUSTAIN  
THE QUALITY OF VOICE OVER INTERNET PROTOCOL  
COMMUNICATIONS

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The Examiner is requested to initial and return to the undersigned a copy of the subject Form PTO-1449. For the convenience of the Examiner, a copy of the Information Disclosure Statement as filed on March 20, 2003 is attached.

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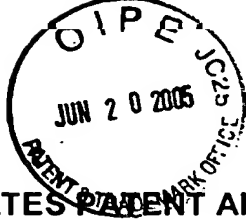
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Sir:

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This information disclosure statement is being submitted before the mailing date of a first office action on the merits.

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It is respectfully requested that this information disclosure statement be considered by the Examiner.

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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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